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HOUSE BILL 838

Short Title: Supt. Public Instruction Support Staff. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Blackwell, Horn, Johnson, and Conrad (Primary Sponsors).
For a complete list of sponsors, refer to the North Carolina General Assembly web site.

Referred to: Education - K-12

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL TO SUPPORT THE OFFICE OF
3 THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.(a)** The following vacant positions shall be eliminated from the
6 Department of Public Instruction:

7	<u>Position number</u>	<u>Title</u>
8	60093688	Chief Performance Officer
9	60091186	Accountant
10	65009118	Center Fellow
11	65009168	Personnel Analyst I
12	60039569	Education/Development Aide II
13	60039526	Education/Development Aide II
14	65017167	Program Assistant V
15	60041714	Education Diagnostician I
16	60094593	Business Technology Analyst
17	60039518	Education Consultant II

18 **SECTION 1.(b)** Beginning with the 2016-2017 fiscal year, from the funds
19 generated from the vacant positions eliminated in subsection (a) of this section, the
20 Superintendent of Public Instruction may use up to seven hundred four thousand nine hundred
21 fifty-seven dollars (\$704,957) in recurring funds to appoint, in addition to any other personnel
22 appointed by the Superintendent, up to five full-time equivalent exempt policy-making
23 positions, as defined in G.S. 126-5(b)(3), to staff the office of the Superintendent and assist in
24 the administration of the Superintendent's duties under Article III and Section 4(2) of Article IX
25 of the North Carolina Constitution as an elected officer and member of the Council of State and
26 as secretary and chief administrative officer of the State Board of Education. Personnel
27 appointed to these positions shall be exempt from the North Carolina Human Resources Act
28 and shall report solely to the Superintendent of Public Instruction. The Superintendent of Public
29 Instruction shall fix the salaries of the personnel for the office of the Superintendent within the
30 funds available as provided by this section. The personnel for the office of the Superintendent
31 of Public Instruction within the Department of Public Instruction shall be in addition to any
32 staff appointed to the Department in accordance with G.S. 115C-21(a)(1). The appointments
33 shall not be subject to approval or disapproval by the State Board of Education.

34 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

